

Interview Summary

Application No.

09/935,557

Applicant(s)

GUNTHER, ERIK

Examiner

Ardin Marschel

Art Unit

1631

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Ardin Marschel (Exr.)(3) Erik Gunther (Inventor)(2) Karen Blochlinger (Appl. Rep.)

(4)

Date of Interview: 01 July 2004

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Daniels et al. (P/N 6,368,794).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: We discussed steps as claimed vs. Daniels et al. and Exr. Marschel indicated that the step (c) of instant claim 1 may not be described in the reference, however, wished to review Daniels et al. more in detail after this argument is formally submitted.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Ardin Marschel 7/1/04
Examiner's signature, if required